

Department of Children JOB OPPORTUNITY

Plant Facilities Engineer 1

Connecticut Juvenile Training School

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Open To: The Public

Location: Connecticut Juvenile Training School

Job Posting No: 43752LR

Hours: 37.5 weekly

Salary: \$76,653.00-\$99,242.00

Closing Date: 9/8/2014

Eligibility Requirement: The Department of Children and Families currently has a vacancy for a Plant Facilities Engineer 1 at the Connecticut Juvenile Training School in Middletown, CT. This is a full-time (37.5 hours weekly), 1st shift position and is part of the NP-2 Bargaining Unit. Candidates must be on the current DAS exam list for Plant Facilities Engineer 1 (class code 6294 - non-managerial) at the time of application. Special consideration will be given to those applicants with trade licenses and experience with an accreditation organization. This position is accountable for directing physical plant operations including operational maintenance, repairs, and alterations; plant utilities including heating, power generation, and wastewater treatment; complete grounds and equipment maintenance; administration of repairs and contracts pertaining to facilities maintenance; and code compliance for fire safety and environmental conditions. General Experience - eight (8) years technical experience in the maintenance and repair of large buildings and utility services required. Special Experience - two (2) years of the general experience must have been in a first-line supervisory capacity responsible for the direction of a large crew of trades workers, contractors, or similar highly skilled maintenance specialists above the apprenticeship level. College training in architecture, mechanical, or electrical engineering or a related field may be substituted for general experience on the basis of fifteen (15) semester hours equaling one-half (1/2) year of experience up to a maximum of four (4) years for a Bachelor's Degree. Please click on the class code for a detailed job specification

Knowledge, Skills and Abilities: Considerable knowledge of the methods, materials and equipment used in the maintenance, operation and repair of buildings and all utilities, services and equipment; considerable knowledge of and ability to apply management principles and techniques; considerable knowledge of relevant State and federal laws, statutes and regulations; knowledge of materials and methods of building construction; knowledge of preventive maintenance techniques; considerable interpersonal skills; considerable oral and written communication skills; ability to read and interpret blueprints and specifications; ability to plan, supervise and inspect building repair and maintenance work; ability to utilize computer software.

General Experience:

Eight (8) years of technical experience in the maintenance and repair of large buildings and utility services.

Note:

Experience performing technical duties within the maintenance trade area on a military base, aircraft carrier or large compound may be substituted for the General Experience on a year for year basis.

Special Experience:

Two (2) years of the General Experience must have been in a first-line supervisory capacity responsible for the direction of a large crew of trades workers, contractors or similar highly skilled maintenance specialists above the apprenticeship level.

Note:

For State Employees this is interpreted at or above the level of Maintenance Supervisor 2.

Substitution Allowed: College training in architecture, mechanical or electrical engineering or a related field may be substituted for the General Experience on the basis of fifteen (15) semester hours

equalling one-half (1/2) year of experience to a maximum of four (4) years for a Bachelor's degree.

Special Requirement: Incumbents in this class may be required by the appointing authority to possess appropriate current licenses, permits and/or certifications.

Working Conditions:

Incumbents may be exposed to some risk of injury from equipment when inspecting jobs.

Note: The filling of this position will be in accordance with reemployment, SEBAC, transfer, promotion and merit employment rules, if applicable.

Application Instructions: Interested and qualified candidates who meet the above requirements and who have passed and are on the current exam list should submit a cover letter, a resume, Application for Employment (CT-HR-12), and three (3) letters of professional reference. Current state employees must submit their two most recent performance appraisals in lieu of references to: The filling of this position shall be in keeping with established reemployment, transfer, promotion, and SEBAC employment obligations. Include the specified posting number on all application materials. Please mail all application materials to the address indicated.

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The State of Connecticut is an equal opportunity/affirmative action employer and strongly encourages the applications of women, minorities, and persons with disabilities.